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## **First Annual Conference of the ERASMUS Academic Network on Parliamentary Democracy in Europe – PADEMIA**

### **Official Programme**

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## Programme Overview

### DAY 1:

10.00 – 11.00: **Meeting of the Steering Committee** (*Steering Committee Members only*)

Venue: Salle D

11.30 – 13.00: **General Assembly** (*PADEMIA Members only*)

Venue: Félicien Cattier

13.00 – 14.00: **Sandwich Lunch**

Venue: Salle Marnix

14.00 – 16.00: **First Set of Thematic Workshops** (details on the panels below)

Panel 1) Changing Parliamentary Institutions in Europe

Venue: Salle B

Panel 2) The Role of Parliamentary Actors

Venue: Salle Francqui

Panel 3) The Financial Crisis & Challenges to Representation

Venue: Salle D

16.00 – 16.30: **Coffee Break**

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## 16.30 – 18.30: Second Set of Thematic Workshops

Panel 4) Parliaments and the European Public Sphere

Venue: Salle B

Panel 5) Parliaments in Europe in Times of Crisis

Venue: Salle Francqui

Panel 6) Multi-Level Democracy

Venue: Salle D

Panel 7) Parliament and Citizens in Europe

Venue: Salle Willems

## 19.00: Reception Dinner

*Note: The Dinner will take place in the Stanhope Hotel, 9, rue du Commerce 1000 Brussels. Find the location in the map below, point D.*

## DAY 2:

### 9.00 – 10.30: OPAL Panel

Venue: Félicien Cattier

### 10.30 – 11.00: Coffee Break

### 11.00 – 12.30: Round Table with all Panel Chairs

Chair: Wolfgang Wessels, University of Cologne

Venue: Félicien Cattier

### 12.30 – 14.00: Sandwich Lunch

Venue: Salle Marnix

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## Panel Descriptions

### Panel 1: Changing Parliamentary Institutions in Europe

Chair: Tapio Raunio, University of Tampere ([Tapio.Raunio@uta.fi](mailto:Tapio.Raunio@uta.fi))

- 1) Anne Lauenroth ([anne.lauenroth@swp-berlin.org](mailto:anne.lauenroth@swp-berlin.org)):  
*How the European Parliament adapts to Globalisation - an Analysis of the EP's Functions in the Areas of International Trade and Finance*
  - 2) Mark Harwood ([mark.harwood@um.edu.mt](mailto:mark.harwood@um.edu.mt)):  
*Does the Maltese Parliament play an Effective Role in EU Matters at a Domestic Level?*
  - 3) Roderick Parkes ([parkes@pism.pl](mailto:parkes@pism.pl)):  
*Personalization of the Elections: Towards greater National Parliamentarians' Cooperation?*
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### Panel 2: The Role of Parliamentary Actors

Chair: Christine Neuhold, Maastricht University ([c.neuhold@maastrichtuniversity.nl](mailto:c.neuhold@maastrichtuniversity.nl))

- 1) Eleonora Poli ([e.poli@iai.it](mailto:e.poli@iai.it)):  
*The long Distance Relationship between the European Parliament and the Italian Parliament: can greater Cooperation help improving Democratic Legitimacy in Europe?*
- 2) Alba Cicala ([alba.siena@gmail.com](mailto:alba.siena@gmail.com)):  
*Parliamentarians debating the Crisis: the Italian Case (2011-2013)*
- 3) Xavier Follebouckt ([xavier.follebouckt@uclouvain.be](mailto:xavier.follebouckt@uclouvain.be)):  
*The European Parliament's views on the EU's security role in the East*
- 4) Eric Miklin ([Eric.Miklin@sbg.ac.at](mailto:Eric.Miklin@sbg.ac.at)):  
*The Early Warning System and National Parliaments: Waking up the Sleeping*

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### Panel 3: The Financial Crisis and Challenges to Representation

Chair: Iannis Konstantinidis, University of Macedonia (ianniskons.tantinidis@gmail.com)

- 1) Davor Jancic (d.jancic@lse.ac.uk):  
*National Parliaments and the EU Economic and Financial Governance:  
Democratisation through the Euro Crisis*
  - 2) Paris Aslanidis (p.aslanidis@gmail.com):  
*Adaptable Populism: Comparing Greece and Finland*
  - 3) George Siakas (gsiakas@gmail.com)  
*Populistic Discourse into Euro-criticism's Frame: Pari Passu*
  - 4) Aleksandra Maatsch (aleksandra.maatsch@csic.es)  
*Parliamentary Ratifications of Anti-Crisis Legal Measures: Old or New Conflict Lines?*
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### Panel 4: Parliaments and the European Public Sphere

Chair: Leonard Novy, IfM Berlin (Leonard.Novy@medienpolitik.eu)

- 1) Albert Aixala (albert.aixala@gmail.com):  
*The Election of Common Candidates to the European Commission Presidency by the European Political Parties and their Impact on the European Public Sphere. The Case of the 2014 Elections*
- 2) Yoav Shemer-Kunz (yoav.shemer@gmail.com):  
*How do They Know? DG Trade and the social Construction of ACTA*
- 3) Iasonas Lamprianou (lamprianou.iasonas@ucy.ac.cy)  
*Exploratory measures of political Trust*
- 4) Alba Cicala (alba.siena@gmail.com)  
*Parliamentarians debating the Crisis: the Italian Case (2011-2013)*

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### Panel 5: Parliaments in Europe in Times of Crisis

Chair: Olivier Rozenberg, Sciences Po Paris ([olivier.rozenberg@sciencespo.fr](mailto:olivier.rozenberg@sciencespo.fr))

- 1) Manuel Sanchez de Dios ([msanchez@cps.ucm.es](mailto:msanchez@cps.ucm.es)):  
*Different Comparative Approaches in the Study of Parliaments*
  - 2) Heleen Jalvingh ([h.jalvingh.11@ucl.ac.uk](mailto:h.jalvingh.11@ucl.ac.uk)):  
*Democracy and The EU: Under what Conditions can National Parliaments have an Impact?*
  - 3) Anna Pudlo ([annapudlo@kozminski.edu.pl](mailto:annapudlo@kozminski.edu.pl)):  
*The Role of National Parliaments in Ensuring Democratic Legitimacy for Actions in the "Eurozone"*
  - 4) Pieter de Wilde/Tapio Raunio ([pieter.dewilde@wzb.eu](mailto:pieter.dewilde@wzb.eu) / [Tapio.Raunio@uta.fi](mailto:Tapio.Raunio@uta.fi)):  
*Redirecting National Parliaments: Setting Priorities for Involvement in EU Affairs*
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### Panel 6: Multi-Level Democracy

Chair: Ben Crum, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam ([ben.crum@vu.nl](mailto:ben.crum@vu.nl))

- 1) Chris Lord ([christopher.lord@arena.uio.no](mailto:christopher.lord@arena.uio.no)):  
*An Indirect Legitimacy argument for a Directly elected European Parliament*
- 2) Francois Randour ([francois.randour@uclouvain.be](mailto:francois.randour@uclouvain.be)):  
*The Autonomy of Negotiation of the Austrian Federal Executive in the Council vis-à-vis its Domestic Parliament(s)*
- 3) Jan Wouters, Kolja Raube, Laura Beke ([Kolja.Raube@ghum.kuleuven.be](mailto:Kolja.Raube@ghum.kuleuven.be))  
*The Multilevel Parliamentary Field of EU Human Rights Policies: What Role for Interparliamentary Cooperation?*
- 4) Agnieszka Grzelak ([agnieszka.anna.grzelak@gmail.com](mailto:agnieszka.anna.grzelak@gmail.com))  
*Does a Theory work in Practice? Parliamentary Scrutiny of COM(2012) 10 as an Example of multi-level Democracy*

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## Panel 7: Parliaments and Citizens in Europe

Chairs: Katrin Auel & Johannes Pollak, IHS Vienna ((auel@ihs.ac.at)

- 1) Olga Gyarfasova (olga.gyarfasova@gmail.com):  
*Alternative Parties, alternative Representation?*
- 2) Petia Gueorguieva (petiagueorguieva@gmail.com):  
*"Citizens versus Parliament": of the Parliamentary Crisis and the Crisis of Parliamentarianism in Bulgaria*
- 3) Sofia Vasilopoulou, Katjana Gattermann (sofia.vasilopoulou@york.ac.uk, K.Gattermann@uva.nl):  
*Towards Convergence in Times of Crisis? Assessing Opinion Congruence between Voters and Parties in seven EU Elections*
- 4) Olga Eisele (eisele@ihs.ac.at):  
*"A Game of Tones" - A Comparative Analysis of Newspaper Coverage of the European Parliament*

## OPAL Panel: National parliaments and the EU: what's next?

Chairs: Olivier Rozenberg

Discussants: Ben Crum & Chris Lord

OPAL (Observatory of Parliaments after the Lisbon Treaty) has come to an end. OPAL members would like to take this opportunity to pitch their main findings resulting from three years of research. We expect a lively debate with Ben Crum, Chris Lord and the audience.



## Location

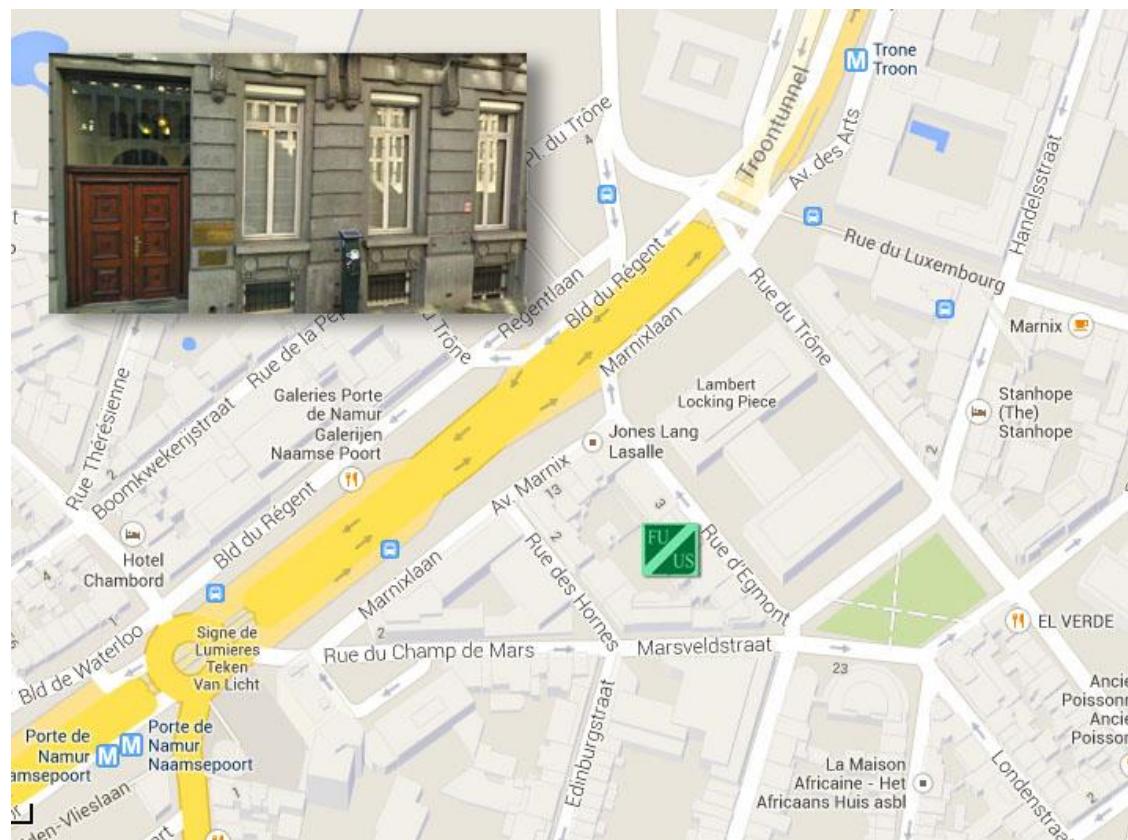
The Annual Conference of PADEMIA will take place at the Fondation Universitaire, Rue D'Egmont 11, 1000 Brussels. For more information please visit <http://www.fondationuniversitaire.be/en/contact>

### **Public Transport**

The University Foundation is located just between two underground stations (Troon/Trone and Porte de Namur/Naamsepoort).

### **By Car**

Take the tunnels until the exit Porte de Namur/Naamsepoort (make sure you have enough small change for your parking fee).

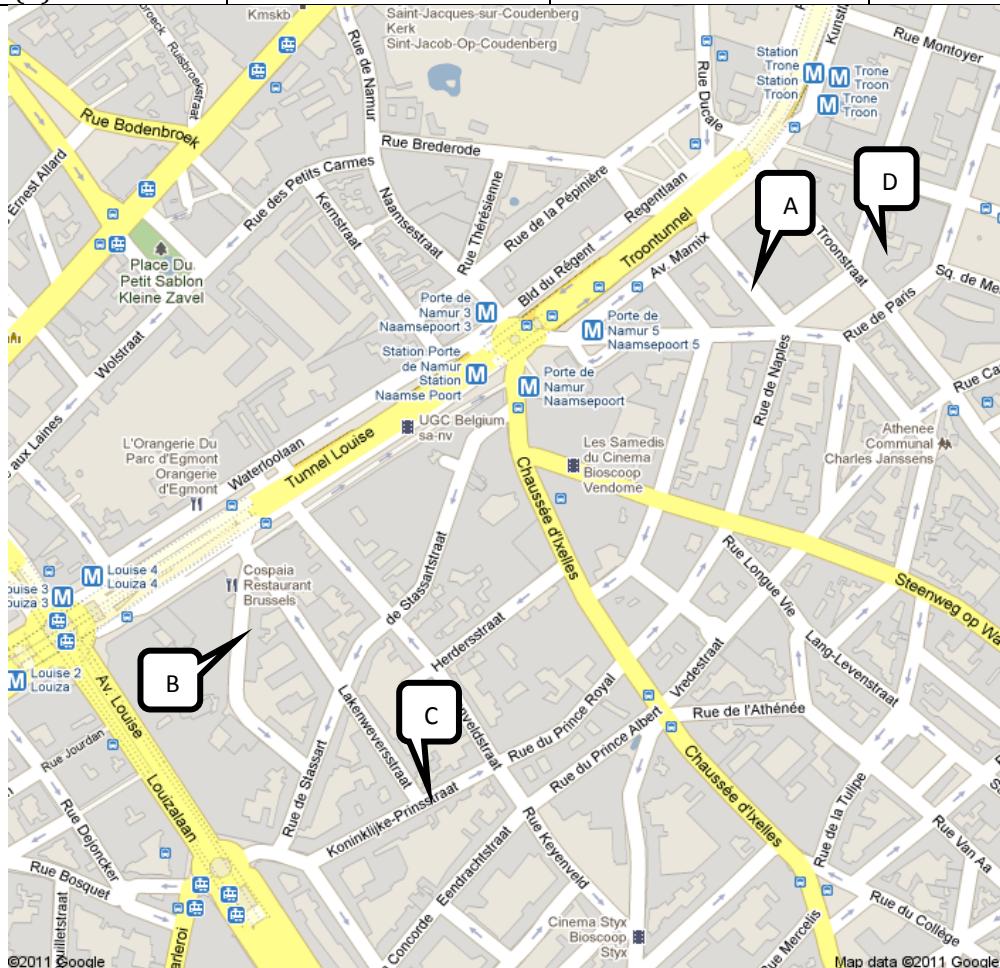




## Accommodation and reception

Hotel rooms for all participants of the Conference have been booked by the organizers. Participants will be informed on their respective Hotel around 10 days prior to the conference. The different Hotels are:

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